

## Re: Why is winlogon taking too much memory?

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I have this problem too with 2 of my Dell PowerEdge Windows 2003 SP1 machines. I'm running ASP.NET web services on them and winlogon.exe is eating up over 400 MB. I disabled my virus protection, patrol monitoring agents, etc. in hope to free up this service's memory but it didn't help. I have noticed a lot of open connections to my SQL server though. Could this cause the problem?

Any ideas?

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> I have a few Windows 2003 machines running ASP.NET Web Services, and I  
> noticed that on all the machines there are two winlogon.exe processes. One  
is  
> consuming around 2 megs, and the other one is consuming a whopping 255  
megs.  
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> I'm not using standard anonymous HTTP connection, no windows  
authentication  
> of any kind is required by the Web Services.  
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> The second winlogon process on all the machines is consuming about the  
same  
> amount of memory (255MB).  
>  
> Has anyone encountered something like this?  
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> How do I find out what the second winlogon process is doing?  
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> Thanks  
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